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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**  
**(Large Entity)**

Docket No.

**In Re Application Of:**

Ebgert BAKKER, et al.

Serial No.	Filing Date	Examiner	Group Art Unit
09/445,174			

### Invention:

## **A Diagnostic Test Kit for Determining a Predisposition for Breast and Ovarian Cancer, Materials and Methods for Such Determination**

**TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:**

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of February 9, 2000 above-identified application.  
*Date*

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

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| <input type="checkbox"/> One month | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Two months | <input type="checkbox"/> Three months | <input type="checkbox"/> Four months | <input type="checkbox"/> Five months |
| from: _____                        | <b>March 9, 2000</b>                           | until: _____                          | <b>May 9, 2000</b>                   |                                      |
|                                    | <i>Date</i>                                    |                                       | <i>Date</i>                          |                                      |

The fee for the extension of time is \$380 and is to be paid as follows:

- A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
  - The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No.   
A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
  - If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 08-2461  
A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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Dated: 24 April 2000

I certify that this document and fee is being deposited on 24 April 2000 with the U.S. Postal Service as express mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and is addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

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